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Mr. Gregory Dangler President RMR Aggregates, Inc. 4601 DTC Blvd., Suite 120 Denver, CO 80237

Dear Mr. Dangler,

Thank you for meeting with our staff on August 6, 2018, to discuss the permitting process for your current operations and proposed expansion of the Mid-Continent Quarry (Quarry) near Glenwood Springs, Colorado. As you know, the current operations at the Quarry do not comply with the current approved Plan of Operations for the Quarry.

When we met in August, we emphasized that RMR must bring its current operations into compliance. At this meeting, and at a follow up meeting a week later, RMR stated its intent to address compliance issues with its proposed plan of operations, which would also include proposed plans for expansion. RMR also informed us that the revised draft was 95 to 97% complete and nearly ready to submit for BLM review.

In early September, RMR met with BLM Northwest District and Colorado State Office leadership. In that meeting, RMR reiterated its desire to move forward with a new plan of operations that will address the compliance issues, as well as the expansion of operations of the Quarry.

Over the past several months, our office has worked with you to refine a draft plan of operations that would address the compliance issues and your proposed expansion. To date, we have not received a formal application to amend your plan of operations, nor have we received any other documentation demonstrating how RMR will bring the Quarry into compliance.

Accordingly, BLM directs RMR to submit, within 30 days of receipt of this letter, an application to amend the current plan of operations for the Quarry. The application must include RMR's

proposed resolution of the compliance issues, and may include any proposed expansion.

If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Lopez Pearce, Geologist, at (970) 876-9018 or jlopezpearce@blm.gov.

Sincerely,

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Field Manager (Acting)